

# North Central Accrediting Group To Visit Joplin Junior College

An accrediting committee of the North Central Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools will visit Joplin Junior College between March 1 and June 1 this year.

North Central accredited Joplin in 1949. Their plan calls for them to revisit the schools they accredit every 10 years but this is the first time they have revisited Joplin, according to Dean C. O. Robinson.

Every faculty member is working on two committees to formulate reports to submit to North Central before the evaluation group comes. One set of committee topics includes: "Is the Educational Task of Your Institution Clearly Defined?" "Are the Necessary Resources Available for Carrying Out the Educational Task of Your Institution?" "Is Your Institution Well Organized for Carrying Out Its Educational Task?" "Are the Curriculum and Instructional Program Adapted to the Goals of Your Institution?" "Are Conditions of Faculty Service Likely to Promote High Morale?" "Is Student Life on Your Campus Well-Balanced and Educationally Meaningful?" "Is the Level of Achievement of Students Consistent with the Goals of the Institution?"

The instructional committees are working on reports on "Natural Sciences," "Fine Arts," "English, Speech, Journalism, and Foreign Languages," "Social Sciences," "Physical Education," "Business," and "Mathematics and Engineering."

The Student Senate is preparing a study on students in addition to faculty reports. The Senate asked students to fill out questionnaires during second semester

enrollment as the basis for their report.

After reading the faculty report, the Association committee will visit the College campus for two days to sit in on classes and interview students.

Accrediting by North Central means that credits from Joplin Junior College are acceptable at almost any college in the United States. The North Central Association accredits 19 states and has reciprocal agreements with the other accrediting associations.

The Association wants to make sure that students are being offered the best curriculum in their field. They are also interested in how successful graduates of Joplin Junior College are in other schools.

## Three New Members Join Production Cast Of 'Mary Sunshine'

Three new members have been added to the cast of "Little Mary Sunshine," according to Milton Brietzke. Bill Gilstrap of Joplin, Charles Bland of Neosho and Leon Tarrant of Joplin have joined the ranks of the forest rangers as Buster, Tex, and Hank.

Eight towns are represented in the production with 10 members coming from towns other than Joplin. Charles Bland, Richard Showalter, and Tom Higdon represent Neosho. Deatra Webb and Paula Wiland come from Cartersville. Other towns are represented by the following students: Gary Roney, Carl Junction; Donna Doerge, Duenweg; John Koeneman, Mt. Vernon; Pam Plummer, Webb City; and Nick Noble, Racine.

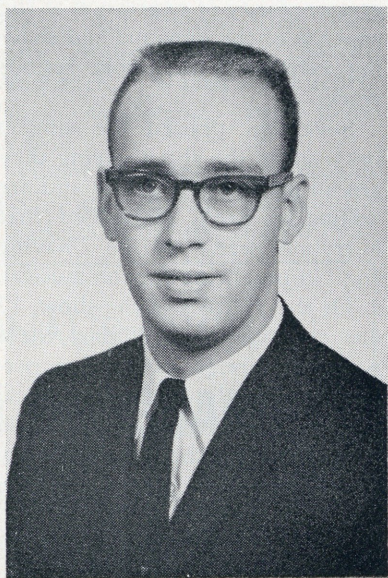
## Wilson to Give Graduation Recital

Max R. Wilson will present a graduation recital at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, February 23, in the College auditorium. Jean Jensen will accompany the tenor vocalist on the piano and will play a number herself.

The program will include 14 pieces, six of which will be sung in German, one in Italian, and the remaining seven in English. The numbers to appear before the piano solo are "Bist Du Bei Mir" by Bach; "Nacht und Traume" and "Was Ist Sylvia" by Schubert; "Danza, Danza, Danza, Fanciulla, Gentile" by Durante; "Eim Traum" by Grieg; "My Lovely Celia" by Higgins; "Phyllis Has Such Charming Graces" by Wilson.

Jean Jensen will then play an Italian Concerto by Bach.

Max will continue with "If With All Your Hearts" by Mendelssohn; "Sure on This Shining Night" by Barber; "Love in the Dictionary" by Dougherty; "Sonnet" and "Imer Leiser Wird Mein Schlummer" by Brahms; and conclude with "Love Went A-Riding" and "The Pretty Creature" by Wilson.



Max has been active in Choir, the Juco Chorale, and the Stage Band, and is a member of Phi Theta Kappa. He has studied with Oliver Sovereign and plans to continue his music education at Wichita University. Max is the Music and Youth Director at the Northside Baptist Church in Neosho.

A reception will be held in the Little Theater after the recital to which the public is invited.

# The Chart

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## Seventeen Graduate At End of Semester

Seventeen qualified for graduation from Joplin Junior College at the end of the fall semester.

They are Mrs. Rhonda Amos, Michael Boyington, Gene Brill, Patrick Carroll, Kenneth Christiansen, Johnny Emrich, Richard Ensminger, Peter Farmer, Roy Harper, Claude Iles, Marilyn Kesinger, Pamela Plummer, Troy Pogue, William Shrum, Inell Trahan, Nicky Trimble, Mrs. Amelia Washburn.

## Honor Roll of 126 Sets New High; 13 Make All E's

One hundred twenty-six Joplin Junior College students qualified for the fall semester honor roll. Thirteen students, five sophomores and eight freshmen, compiled a straight "E" average (3.0). The number of students making straight "E's" and those qualifying for the honor roll is the largest number recorded in the last five fall semesters.

Three students in the Technical Education Program also completed the requirements for making the honor roll. To gain this distinction, a student must carry at least 12 semester hours' college credits excluding physical education. All grades must be "S" (2.0) or better to place the student on this list.

Sophomores making straight "E's" are Margaret Butler, Doris Dotson, Carolyn Fulkerson, Vernon Hudson, and Andrew Walker. Freshmen are Ronald Baird, Barbara Coombs, Victor DeAlmeida, Richard Hood, Richard Poore, Carol Rowland, Margaret Ruddick, and Barbara Skelton.

Those freshmen achieving the honor roll are Ronald Baird, Dawn Beers, Charles Bland, Jerry Brouwer, Sharon Burke, Linda Caldemeyer, Michael Carman, Bruce Conway, Dixie Cook, Barbara Coombs, Betty Cox, Nancy Dannelley, Steven DeAlmeida, Victor DeAlmeida, Jerry Dean.

Stephen Evinger, Ann Francisco, Susan Fritts, Ronald Fry, Matthew Gulick, Nina Haggard, Thomas Harvel, Sallie Haynes, Thomas Higdon, Judith Hogan, Raymond Holden, Joleyne Holman, Richard Hood, Jean Jensen, Burney Johnson.

Thomas Johnson, Kathryn Keithly, John Koeneman, Jerry Lehr, Susan McDowell, Carolyn McGowan, Donna McKee, Joyce Miller, Diane Parker, Richard Poore, Mary Roesch, David Rouse, Viki Roux, Carol Rowland, Margaret Ruddick, Francis Schaefer, Jr., Judy Shore, Barbara Skelton, William Smith, Joyce Sterner.

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## Citizens to Vote April 7 On Making Joplin J. C. A County Junior College

### Development Group Considers Move First Step In Establishing Four-Year College in Joplin Area

Joplin Junior College may become a county junior college after April 7. On that day citizens of Jasper County will vote on enlarging the Joplin Junior College district to a county junior college district. If the measure passes, it will mean that the tax base for the College will be larger and that the new school district will take over the two-year junior college program currently operated by the Joplin School District.

The Missouri Board of Education, meeting in Jefferson City, recently approved the proposal submitted by the Jasper County Development Association's four-year college committee. It was based on petitions signed by voters in each school district within the proposed new junior college district.

Fred E. Davis of Jefferson City, assistant director of the junior college division in the State Department of Education, announced the decision of the Board and said that his division will aid with the election preparations.

Six trustees of the proposed junior college district will also be elected that day. The duty of the trustees would be to operate the college district, but their work would not be related to that of the county board of education.

This proposal is considered the first step toward the establishment of a four-year college in Jasper County, according to University of Missouri and state officials. Governor John Dalton vetoed a bill to create a branch of the University of Missouri last year. The two main factors for

the veto, according to Governor Dalton, were that the legislature had authorized the University of Missouri to set up four-year branches at Kansas City and St. Louis and that the Joplin proposal was tied in with St. Joseph, which is too close to Kansas City.

The new junior college county district would have an estimated valuation of \$130,000,000. The proposal submitted by the four-year college committee anticipates a new campus will be needed for the junior college district. The expected enrollment is 1,500 to 2,000 students as compared to the present enrollment of approximately 900.

Chairmen of the four-year college committee are Fred E. Hughes of Joplin and Harry H. Spradling of Carthage.

## Pageant to Select Miss Juco From Twenty-Five Next Friday

The Miss Juco Pageant to select the best-groomed girl will be staged at 12:30 next Friday afternoon in the College auditorium. Twenty-five of the original 37 girls nominated by students and organizations will vie for the title of Miss Juco.

In the pageant, sponsored for the second year by the newspaper staff, the girls will model an afternoon ensemble and an evening gown. Miss Juco's coronation will take place during the final minutes of the pageant after the ratings of daily appearance at the College and the style review have been tabulated.

The stage band, under the direction of Russell Benjamin, will play "Midnight Sun" and "That's All" during the review and the tabulation.

The finalists have been observed by a panel of judges for the past two weeks and will continue to be judged on their daily appearance until the pageant. Miss Juco will receive local

recognition and will compete in a national contest sponsored by "Glamour" magazine. Pictures of the J.J.C. entrant will vie with those of girls from colleges and universities throughout the United States. "Glamour" offers special prizes for the 10 best-dressed college girls and will feature honorable mention winners in a fall issue.

Friends and relatives of the contestants are invited to attend the style review.

In alphabetical order, the finalists are Linda Allington, Betty Brown, Patty Burrell, Linda Caldemeyer, Vicki Clement, Kerri Cox, Kay Cyrus, Pegi Dugan, Renate Farmer, Shirley Ford, Karen Foust, Susan Fritts, and Judy Gladden.

Sherry Howard, Kathy Keithly, Judy Lewis, Susan McDowell, June Olson, Phoebe Pigg, Cindy Porter, Pam Plummer, Patti Smith, Vicki Vernatti, Janet Walker, and Linda Winn.



A Real Education Ranges:

From Shakespeare to Earthworms

Recently, the Joplin Junior College library received a donation of books from the estate of Miss Ada Coffey. As the staff began preparing them for use, we found ourselves discussing the variety of subjects in which she had an interest, as indicated by her books. As those of us whom she taught realized, she had a great admiration for any individual who contributed to the history of human thought and ideas and for this we pay tribute to her.

But, in noting the multiplicity of her interests, we might also reflect a little on the value of education itself and on what constitutes a truly educated person. Judging by her books, her education opened her eager mind to all fields of human endeavor. Though she taught English and particularly adored literature, she possessed many books of history, philosophy, mathematics, physical science, and even biology—and the gulf between a knowledge of Shakespeare and the interior of the earthworm is very wide indeed.

But, in a world in which science and literature coexist, the educated man should understand something of both. More importantly, in a world in which the scientist and the creative artist both live, an attempt must be made by each to understand the other through the medium of an education which is not overly specialized. In truth, one cannot call a specialist with an interest confined only to his work an educated man, for he is isolated, perhaps even incapable of performing efficiently the obligatory functions of a citizen in a democratic society.

As all of Miss Coffey's books, inscribed with her name, are added to the shelves, they will help students to acquire an education which will fit them to live understandingly in an increasingly complex world. — D.D.

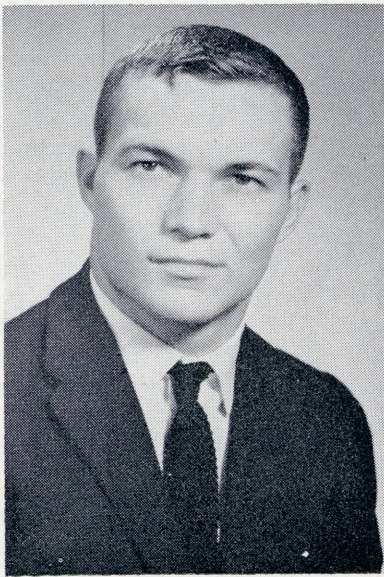
Tony Cano Pays Hornecker a Tribute

"When I came to Joplin last August, I never dreamed I would soon be meeting my 'mother away from home,' Mac Hornecker. The day I met Edward MacArthur Hornecker for the first time, I felt we would get along very well. He struck me as a man who knew nothing about cooking, ironing, and all the other essentials of housekeeping, but was I ever wrong! As soon as school started, Mac and I, along with our other two roommates, Roger Marquardt and Danny Wilson, began our newly-acquired jobs as housekeepers.

"We quickly sensed that Mac was to be head man; not by vote, but he seemed to know about cooking and everything else, which incidentally proved my previous theory wrong. Mac soon set us straight on our specific house duties, and off we went to the supermarket with 'mother.'

"I sensed a huge buying of canned goods, but again I was proven false. We arrived at the apartment loaded with spices, fresh vegetables, meat, poultry, and not one can whatsoever. Mac seemed to be able to cook as well as any woman, and till this day we have not opened a can of pork and beans. His greatest pride is his soda biscuits which won a prize for him in a cooking contest.

"Being a sophomore and experienced in school work, he quickly set up study halls every night for all of us. If we even tended to omit one nightly study, he would nonchalantly say: 'A



football player who flunks out of school this year will do us no good next year,' so we studied every night, including one night out of the week end.

"He constantly told us that we would probably have a hard time the first semester, but that there are no excuses for future semesters. Now I wonder how anyone can guide us so smoothly in everything we do, and yet not boss us around. Not many can do so, especially a man. But our 'mother away from home,' Mac Hornecker, is accomplishing such a task."

We Still Aim High

It's February. We are frantic; 'Tis the time to be romantic. Now's the time to spot the fickle And our nether brains to tickle With the thoughts of sweet intrigue With someone who's not in our league.

Chart Scribe Meets Benjamin Franklin

"Good morning, Mr. Franklin," I said as I leaped from my time capsule into his Philadelphia living room. He was somewhat troubled by my sudden arrival and was not immediately able to express his pleasure at seeing me again. (It had been quite awhile since our last meeting during the Constitutional Convention when I arranged to fix the balloting in favor of Mister Franklin's group.)

"And how are you?" he politely inquired, his grotesque spectacles falling off his nose. "Just fine," I replied, as I lost my battle to keep from laughing.

Somewhat perturbed by his accident, he bade me to get about my business and be gone. "Well, Ben," I said, "remember that little paper of yours? 'Poor Richard's Almanac,' I think you called it."

"Uh-huh, 'Poor Richard.' What about it?"

"Well, it seems that I've got myself mixed up with a bunch of journalists and—"

"Journalists! For shame, boy! What have you come to?"

"Not that kind of journalists, Ben. They're royal freethinking Americans, not at all like the ones King George egged on to make sport of you and the other patriots."

"Well, as long as they're not Tories..."

"Anyway, they have this paper. 'The Chart' it's called. May be you've heard of it?"

"Seems a couple of decades ago some one gave me a copy. Pretty interesting paper."

"Thanks for the compliment, Ben. But I really came to see if you'd let us use a few of your old proverbs. You know just something you dashed off for 'Poor Richard' and didn't happen to use."

"Sure, how much do you pay?"

"Nothing, Ben. Put aside your thriftiness for a moment and let me have them for old time's sake."

"Well, all right. But it's against my principles."

Old Ben rummaged in his wastebasket for a few minutes and came up with a couple of couplets. This is the first time they have ever appeared in print—and probably the last.

Never, sir a lender be,  
Unless, of course, you lend to me.

You don't need money to survive,

Politicians on hot air do thrive.  
A man is lonely while unhitched

But when he marries should be ditched. — Ron Hiser

Dr. Dryer Discusses Retarded Children

Dr. Lloyd Dryer discussed "You and the Retarded Child" in a special program February 8 at the School for Retarded Children in Neosho. He addressed his remarks to parents and others interested in retarded children.

Mrs. Evelyn Neil, a former Joplin Junior College student, was in charge of the program.

Think More; Talk Less

If one would consider what he thinks is perhaps the most destructive device today, he would naturally say the "nuclear bomb." But, if he would think longer, he might say "propaganda." It has more effect on the world today than the thought of nuclear war because it directly affects the relationship between countries.

Judging on a smaller scale, however, we would say "gossip" or "namecalling," as they deal directly with the individual. They depict largeness or smallness in the one using them. The roots behind these evils are most common — envy, jealousy, and revenge. In most cases, gossipmongers pick on certain individuals who possess qualities that they lack. Others may choose to show revenge by downgrading and namecalling which point out their smallness.

Unfortunately, many of us are guilty of gossip or namecalling at one time or another. But we should realize that we only hurt ourselves when we stoop to these tricks. Most mature people have studied the devices of propaganda as analyzed by the Institute for Propaganda Analysis and quickly recognize our scruples.

Whether we know how high an individual's standards are or not, we should think more and talk less. In the majority of cases, the reputation we wreck is our own. — M.C.

Songs from 'Little Mary Sunshine' Give Music Director Sovereign Insomnia

"Sometimes during the night I wake up with the tunes running through my head." That's how Choirmaster Oliver Sovereign describes the spontaneous lilting quality of the songs from the forthcoming J.J.C. musical "Little Mary Sunshine."

Sovereign, who supervises the voice work in the show, makes some interesting comparisons between the present musical and some of the more serious works he has been involved with in the past.

"It is an entirely different type of music," he says. "In 'Little Mary Sunshine' an alive, vivid presentation is more important than the technical perfection of other types. Here we strive for greater clarity of expression at the expense of the dynamic and shading effects of the more serious work."

Sovereign praised the singers involved in the show, saying they are an enthusiastic group and are willing to work. He added that everyone seems to be "having fun" in practicing for the musical.

Of the 21 roles in the show, 17 are singing parts. Filling these parts, Sovereign noted, are persons with "all degrees of vocal talent." The singers are being accompanied on the piano as they

rehearse by Jean Jensen and Carole Smart. With the actual performance, however, a special orchestra under the direction of Russell Benzamin will provide the musical background.

Thinking no doubt of the rigorous schedule of rehearsals yet ahead, Sovereign offered a terse answer to the question, "Would you like to do another musical?"

"Yes," he slowly replied, "after a little rest."

To a Baldheaded Man

Mr. Man, with your head so bare,  
Pardon me for asking,  
But what happened to your hair?  
Was it from fright, from illness,  
Or was it from lack of care,  
That you, poor soul,  
Lost all your hair?  
I often wonder how your naked head

Fares in this cold, harsh air,  
And does Mr. Sun baste your head

To a medium rare?  
On second thought, Mr. Man,  
Lucky man without hair,  
I envy you. I even think

It is not fair.  
You need no haircut, no shampoo;  
You need never care,  
You lucky man,  
Mr. Man without hair.

— Joyce Sterner

The Chart

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## Malayan Will Highlight WUS Week Feb. 25

World University Service Week activities will occur February 24-28. In the past, WUS has been sponsored by the YWCA but a committee composed of one member from each club will sponsor the observation this year.

Joanne Ritchie, chairman of the committee which has set its goal at \$250, has announced the activities planned.

Monday starts off the week with a volleyball game between the Circle K and members of the YWCA.

Tuesday will feature Mohammed Shuhud Sa'aid who will speak in an assembly the second period. Sa'aid came to the United States last year from Malaya to study at Cornell University. Having studied in the College of Agriculture, Sa'aid's interests have now turned to politics.

During his senior year Sa'aid was elected International Affairs Vice-President of the Malayan National Union of Students. In this capacity he attended many international conferences, observing student life in almost all Asian countries, Europe, and North America.

Last summer the Malayan was nominated by WUS to attend the Friends World College, a new international summer school directed by Dr. Harold Taylor and eminent scholars from several countries. Sa'aid works for WUS because he is concerned that many American students are unaware of the problems faced by students in other countries.

Sa'aid graduated in 1962 from the University of Malaya where he was president of the student body and editor of the student newspaper.

## JJC Helps Judge Speech Tournament

Approximately 25 Joplin Junior College students and teachers are serving as judges for the annual invitational speech and debate tournament being held at Joplin Senior High School through tomorrow.

Paul Moore and Elwin Roe are in charge of the "Heart of the Ozarks" tournament which is represented by about 30 area high schools, as well as by St. Louis, Columbia, Springfield, and West Plains.

## Honor Roll . . .

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James Sutton, Allen Talbutt, Patricia Taylor, David Thompson, John Wilkinson, Janie Wolfe, and Nancy Woods.

Sophomores who made the list are Terry Albright, Gerald Anderson, Marie Baysinger, Mildred Blankenship, Margaret Burns, Lula Butler, Karen Church, Brenda Clark, Marilyn Clayton, Victor Colson, Jr., Alice Conway, Donald Coodey, Kay Cyrus, Bernita Degraffenreid, Doris Dotson.

Anthony Dousette, Sharen Drennan, Carolyn Fulkerson, Roger Garrison, John Gilbert, Neal Grigg, Janice Hammer, Judy Hayes, David Higgins, Terry Hill, Robert Holden, Mary Holland, Grace Hopkins, Robert Howard, Vernon Hudson.

Claude Iles, Ruth Ann Jones, Don Kellhofer, Roger Kuhn, Myrna Lynn, Sharon McClellan, Robert McConnell, Joseph McGee, Bobby Moskop, Glenda Norman, Darlene Pearman, Karalee Pearson, Joanne Ritchie, Arthur Robertson, Ruth Ann Sayers, Herbert Schade, Fred Scherle.

Sharon Shepherd, Carole Smart, Martha Smith, Sue Lynn Sterrett, Marion Stinson, Mary Stinson, Barbara Stokes, Barbara Stone, Sandra Summers, Georgia Thomas, Larry Tomlin, Carol Tracy, Inell Trahan, Vicki Vernatti, Andrew Walker, Amelia Washburn, Wanda Whitener, Janice Wickstrom, and Joyce Wilson.

Honor students from Franklin Tech are Robert Babst, Jr., Charles McCoy, and Donald Pyle.

## Engineers Offer \$200 Scholarship

The Engineers Club has announced that applications are being accepted for the \$200 scholarship which they are offering. Miss Martha McCormick, senior sponsor of the club, will serve as chairman of the awarding committee but Miss Eula Ratekin of the chemistry department, and Arthur L. Strobel, physics department, will assist in selecting the recipient of the scholarship. Bill Rucker, Gary Engle, and Matt Gulick, freshman members of the executive committee, will advise the instructors.

The scholarship is based on the need as well as the character of the applicant. The applicant must be of sophomore standing with at least 48 hours credit and must hold a 1.8 grade point average. He must also have been a member in good standing with the Engineers Club for three semesters, including the present semester.

The scholarship will be presented during Engineers Week when the chemistry, math, and physics awards are presented. Applications may be obtained from Miss Margaret Mitchell, registrar. Deadline for applications is tomorrow, February 15.

## Enrollment Falls Second Semester

Approximately 880 day and night students have enrolled for second semester, according to Miss Margaret Mitchell, registrar. The total enrollment last semester was 1,014 students.

The approximate total day enrollment is 680. Two hundred and eighty-three sophomores and 396 freshmen enrolled January 27 and 28, respectively.

The approximate total night enrollment is 200. One hundred and eighty students enrolled January 27.

## Medics Slam Fags

To meeting came the doctors droll. They puffed while answering the roll.

The report was read; now raised a doubt

And meanwhile all the fags went out. — Richard Hood

## Dr. Dryer Attends State Testing Meeting

Dr. Lloyd Dryer represented Joplin Junior College in the semi-annual meeting of the Missouri Colleges' Cooperative Testing Program Steering Committee January 15-16 at Rolla. One of the purposes of the meeting, according to Dr. Dryer, was to set times and places for the tests in the Spring testing program. Joplin Junior College will offer the tests on April 25 and May 9.

Nineteen public institutions of higher education and six private colleges in Missouri were represented at the meeting. Recommendations for colleges wishing to enter the program were accepted, and the new Crowder College of Neosho was one of the colleges accepted.

Any freshman entering one of the 17 schools participating in the Missouri Cooperative Testing Program is required to take two standardized placement tests, the School and College Ability Test (SCAT) and the University of Missouri English Placement Test.

The testing program will be carried on at 34 locations across the state so that the tests may be taken at the most convenient time and location.

## Unwitting Anecdotes

At the end of each semester Joplin Junior College instructors double their pleasure while grading final exams. Not only do they find out how much students have learned, but also get a chuckle from student boners which average about one to every test. Some of these boners meriting special recognition follow:

"I would like to visit Stockland Yards."

"Malefactor is the self supporting male."

"'A Modest Proposal' is the story of a man who loves a woman and tells her of his love and how he wishes to marry her."

"Antigone died by hanging herself with a nylon cord."

"A caduceus was a half woman, half lion, and half serpent."

"Ogygia was the monster with one eye which Odysseus put out."

"Lathrop tells of the sacrifice of Keenan and his calvary to save the army."

## Foreign Countries Offer Summer Jobs To College Students

Job opportunities in Europe this summer include work in the forests of Germany, on construction in Austria, on farms in Germany, Sweden, and Denmark, on road construction in Norway, as well as jobs in various other countries.

More information about these jobs for college students may be found on the main bulletin board on the second floor, or by writing to:

American Student Information Service

22 Avenue De La Liberte

Luxembourg City

Grand Duchy of Luxembourg.

## Tempers Blaze As Lions Roar

### Past Norsemen, 91-71

Joplin Junior College Lions roared past the Golden Norsemen of Northeastern Oklahoma A&M, 91-71, January 7 on the hardwoods of Memorial Hall. During the first half of the wild and woolly contest tempers soared. Sam Knight of Joplin and Jack Lewis of Miami almost came to blows several times. Their tempers cooled and the game finished without any major problem.

The Lions captured and retained the lead late in the first half and went to the dressing room with a 22 point bulge, 55-33.

Joplin's leading scorer was Bill Denney with 26 tallies; Don Kellhofer was second with 18. Bill Clingan led the Norsemen with 16 points.

Totals—

Joplin: Denney, 26; Kellhofer, 18; Berner, 15; Baird, 14; Knight, 12; Cortez, 6.

Miami: Clingan, 16; Lewis, 10; Gregory, 7; Ball, 6; Hamilton, 5; Dean, 4; Haddock, 4; Sexton, 4; Duffield, 2; Spryers, 2.

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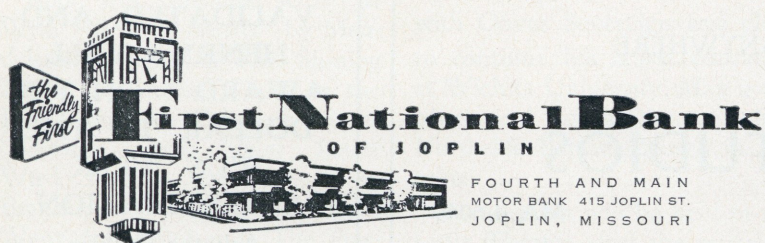
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# Injury-Laden Cagers Drop Three

## Scotties Slip Past Battered Lions 79-75

The Joplin Junior College Lions dropped their fourth loop outing in six starts to the Highland, Kansas Scotties, 79-75, on the Memorial Hall hardwoods, January 27.

The Lions led at the intermission by four points 40-36. At the outset of the second half the Scotties came back with a quick two points, and the lead changed hands 14 times during the final half. Highland came out on top with about three minutes left on the clock.

Bill Denney was helped off the court late in the second half, due to a twisted ankle.

Bruce Cortez led the Lions with 18 points. He was followed closely by Ron Baird who had 17.

Two Highland Scotties tied for high point honors with 20 points apiece. They were Howard Jeeter and John Lucas.

## Yellowjackets Sting Lions, 92-80

The foul-laden Lions dropped an Interstate Conference tussle, 92-80, to the Yellowjackets of Kemper Military Academy, February 6, at Booneville, Missouri.

The lead changed hands seven times during the first 10 minutes of play with the Cadets coming out on top. The Lions trailed at intermission by 13 points, 55-42.

Lion Don Kellhofer fouled out of the game about midway through final half. Three other Lions had four fouls on them. They were Ron Baird, Sam Knight, and Bruce Cortez.

The star of the game was Gerry Gagnon who poured through 51 points, with 30 of these coming in the first half. Three other Kemper men scored in double figures, each with 10 apiece—Ken Cusic, Doug Wood, and Denny Arnold.

The Joplin attack was led by guard Ron Baird who had 21 points, followed by Sam Knight and Don Kellhofer who had 20 and 18 points respectively.

Totals—

Joplin: Baird, 21; Knight, 20; Kellhofer, 18; Cortez, 8; R. Mosbaugh, 6; Ingram, 4; Long, 2; Jobe, 1.

Kemper: Gagnon, 51; Arnold, 10; Cusic, 10; Wood, 10; Wenke, 9; Rupp, 2.

## Haskell Wallops Joplin Cagers, 96-80

The Lions fell to defeat as the Haskell Institute Indians of Lawrence, Kansas, walloped Joplin, 96-80, January 10, at Memorial Hall.

The lead changed hands numerous times throughout the first half but Haskell proved to be the victor when they took a 47-42 half time lead and held the pace throughout the rest of the game.

Indian Jim McLaughlin captured game scoring honors with 28 points. Teammates Maurice Elk Nation and Marvin Two Two collected 20 and 21 points respectively. Joplin's Larry Berner scored 17 points, Don Kellhofer meshed 16 and Bill Denney and Sam Knight each netted 14.

## Lions' Late Surge Wallops Cadets, 92-78; Sam Knight Scores 34 Points for Joplin

Joplin Junior College came from behind to whip the Wentworth Cadets 92-78, February 7, at Wentworth in an Interstate Conference game.

With a little less than three minutes to play and trailing by 2, the fired up Lions went wild scoring 16 points. Joplin dominated the contest until the final quarter when the Cadets held the edge, 78-76. Joplin retaliated when Bruce Cortez hit two free shots and Ron Mosbaugh started the spree with a fielder.

Lion guard Sam Knight captured game scoring honors, hitting 14 from the field and 6 from the line for 34 points. Don Kellhofer pumped through 25 points and freshman Ron Baird collected 20 points for Joplin.

Wentworth was led by Frank

Tully, who meshed 13 fielders and 3 charities for 29. Teammates Tom Keucker and Mike Haas bucketed 20 and 18 points respectively.

Joplin is 4-9-0 in conference record play.

Totals—

Lions: Knight, 34; Kellhofer, 25; Baird, 20; Cortez, 6; R. Mosbaugh, 4; Jobe, 2; Long, 1.

Cadets: Tully, 29; Keucker, 20; Haas, 18; Kapp, 9; Ratcliff, 2.

## Pugnacious Lions Besiege Cadets

Joplin Junior College Lions broke into the scoring column early to crush the Kemper Military Academy, 91-74, on the hardwoods of Memorial Hall, January 30. The Lions took a quick lead and never relinquished it, leading the Cadets at the intermission 52-26.

Joplin started off the contest leading 20 points in the first 12 minutes of play. Kemper battled back, but the Lions staved off their attack and maintained the lead throughout the game. At one point Joplin led by 34 points.

Sam Knight led the victorious Lions by hitting 14 fielders and 7 charities for 35 points. Teammate Ron Baird hit 8 fielders and 6 from the line for 22. Don Kellhofer chipped in with 21 points to aid the Lions attack. The Cadets were led by Gerry Gagnon with 26 points, and Doug Wood with 13.

Totals—

Joplin: Knight, 35; Baird, 22; Kellhofer, 21; Cortez, 8; Ingram, 2; Jobe, 2; D. Mosbaugh, 1.

Kemper: Gagnon, 26; Wood, 13; Rupp, 12; Menser, 10; Wenke, 5; Munderlon, 3; Prescher, 3; Seward, 2; Cusic, 1.

## Lions Triumph Over Greyhounds 78-63

Joplin Junior College Lions triumphed 78-63 over an old rival, Fort Scott Junior College Greyhounds, January 14, on the Fort Scott hardwoods.

The Lions got off to a slow start at the outset of the game, but by the end of the first 10 minutes the Lions had taken the lead and never trailed again. They led at the half 36-25.

All of the Lions that scored, scored in double figures. Don Kellhofer led the Lions with 18 tallies. Sam Knight was next with 17. The Greyhounds were led by Malvin Woods with 16.

Totals—

Joplin: Kellhofer, 18; Knight, 17; Cortez, 16; Jobe, 14; Baird, 11.

Fort Scott: Woods, 16; Nance, 13; Jones, 11; Austin, 6; Caldwell, 6; Erie, 4; King, 4; Hasting, 2; Benjamin, 1.

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## Lions Travel To K.C. Tonight

Injury plagued, but willing, the Lions of Doug Landrith will put their all into the game against the Kansas City Blue Devils in a conference tilt tonight at Kansas City.

Joplin and Kansas City have clashed once previously this season, with the Blue Devils slipping past the Lions, 80-78, in the final minutes of that contest.

The Lions will be without the aid of forward Larry Berner and possibly center Bill Denney. Berner became scholastically ineligible, and Denney has been nursing a foot injury suffered in the Highland contest. Ron Baird, an alert and capable freshman from Neosho, will probably see action in Berner's position. Dave Jobe has been spotting for the injured Denney.

The Kansans will be boosted by sophomore guard Guy King. The quick moving King scored 33 points against Joplin and also took game scoring honors.

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